IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

NORMA JEAN NEW,)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	7:06CV5027
VS.)	
)	ORDER
CITY OF VALENTINE, NEBRASKA,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

This matter is before the court on the parties' JOINT MOTION AND STIPULATION FOR CONTINUANCE OF PRETRIAL CONFERENCE AND TRIAL [55]. Counsel orally advised the court that they wish to participate in mediation. Upon the representation that the parties intend to hire a mediator or neutral person for mediation or negotiation,

IT IS ORDERED that the Joint Motion [55] is granted, as follows:

- 1. Pursuant to General Order No. <u>2005-21</u>, all pending dispositive and nondispositive motions are denied, without prejudice to refiling in the event settlement is not reached in mediation.
- 2. Counsel shall, no later than **August 8, 2008**, advise the court of the identity and address of their chosen mediator, and the date of their mediation session.
- 3. The jury trial now scheduled to begin the week of August 4, 2008 in North Platte, Nebraska, is cancelled.
- 4. The trial of this matter is continued to **Tuesday, September 30, 2008**, said trial to be held in North Platte, Nebraska. Counsel are directed to report to chambers for an informal conference at 8:30 a.m. on September 30, 2008. The other provisions of the Trial Preparation Order filed on July 2, 2008 [52] remain in effect.
- 5. The final pretrial conference will be held by telephone on **Thursday, September 11, 2008 at 11:00 a.m.**, before Magistrate Judge F. A. Gossett. The court will initiate the conference call.

DATED this 11th day of July, 2008.

BY THE COURT:

s/Laurie Smith Camp United States District Judge